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## STR8UP Apprenticeships, Traineeships and Excelr8 Open Day

### Dear Colleague

As this is an extremely important time for year 11 students who will be deciding on their career pathways, Sunderland City Provider Network is holding an event to inform students and their parents/carers about apprenticeships, traineeships and Excelr8 learning. The last event held in January 2015 was extremely successful, helping to raise awareness of career options. Please invite all of your year 11 students plus parents, carers and teachers to attend.

### The event will be held on:

**Saturday 16th January 2016, 11am-3pm**  
**Riverview Suite, Stadium of Light, Sunderland**

Our network of learning providers in Sunderland will be recruiting on the day and there will be opportunities to talk to providers about career pathways.

Please see attached copies of the poster and the invitation which will be posted to all year 11 students. We would be grateful if you could inform students about this opportunity as soon as possible.

Two posters will be delivered to your School, we hope you will display them in a prominent position. Each student will receive a personal invitation posted to their home address.

**There will also be a free draw on the day for a pair of tickets to a Sunderland home game.**

If you require more information please contact:

**Megan Blacklock** on **0191 522 7526** or email: [sunderlandcpn@gmail.com](mailto:sunderlandcpn@gmail.com)

Connexions will be supporting this event.

We look forward to welcoming your pupils to the event.

Yours sincerely

**Denise Wilson**

Chair Sunderland City Provider Network

### Learning Providers at the event:

BL Hairdressing • Ingeus • Learning Curve Group • Milltech • Monumental Training • NAC Group Plc

Penshaw View Training • Resources (NE) Ltd • SAFC Foundation

SETA Sunderland Engineering Training Association • Springboard Sunderland

Sunderland City Council • Sunderland College • TCV Employment & Training Services • TEAM Wearside

City Provider Network is the association of local employability and vocational learning providers

